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The Paducah Sun.

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PADUCAH, KY., MONDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1905.

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COSSACKS CHARGED 600 ANGRY WOMEN

ANOTHER CARRIER QUIT ROUTE NO. 7

A JAPANESE HERO DIES AT THE FRONT

ARGENTINA HAD THE USUAL KIND

THREE MEN KILLED AT SCHOOL HOUSE

DEATH'S RELIEF FOR A RUINED MAN

Workmen Forced to Lay Down Their Tools in Factory.

Mr. S. G. Rhodes the Last to Throw up the Job.

Gen. Matsumura Who Took 203 Metre Hill, Dead.

Revolution Died Aborning--All Quiet Now.

Closing Exercises Near Moberly Mo., End Fatal.

Pres. Beckwith Dies at Oberlin, Ohio.

Six Hundred Women Routed and in Subsequent Attack Several Were Killed Or Wounded.

Three Carriers Have Tried It--Two Asked Transfers and One Resigned Outright.

Russians in the Late Skirmishes Seem to Have Held Their Own Fairly Well.

Revolutionists Offer to Lay Down Their Arms if Their Lives Are Spared.

Janitor Shoots Woman in New York--Enraged Husband Kills the Wrecker of His Home.

Mrs. Chadwick Wrecked His Bank and Made Life Unbearable to Him.

THE STRIKE SPREADS SLOWLY

TWO NEW SUBSTITUTES READY

AWAITING WARMER WEATHER

ABOUT 250 ARE ARRESTED.

WOMAN KILLED AT PITTSBURG.

WEAKENS CASE AGAINST HER

Berlin, Feb. 6.—A telegram from St. Petersburg reports that a clash between women and police and Cossacks occurred at Rostoff.

Six hundred women stormed Novikov's factory and forced the workmen to quit work. The workmen were reluctant to join the strike, but the women demolished the machinery.

The police were summoned and routed the women, pursuing them some distance, injuring some.

The women were again collected whereupon the Cossacks dispersed them with bayonets.

Several women were killed and many wounded.

Russians Locate in London.

London, Feb. 6.—Russian refugees continue to pour into the east end of London and a large colony has been established, which is being daily added to. A relief fund started last week is not growing as rapidly as expected.

Repudiate Delegates.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 6.—Workmen to the number of 4,000 in the carshops have drawn up a manifesto disclaiming the delegates who were put forward as representing them in a deputation which visited Emperor Nicholas at Tsarskoe Selo on February 1. They assert that these men were not representatives of the workmen. Employees of one or two other factories may follow suit, but workmen in general are inclined to stand by the deputation.

Poland continues to be the storm center of disturbances. Though the strike has ceased in some establishments it has assumed a more important phase by its extension to the great coal mines and sugar factories, and three more governments have been placed under martial law.

The police and Cossacks have had to break up a number of demonstrations and quell disorder, but as yet there has been no repetition of rioting on the scale of the first collisions.

Strikes in Tiflis and other parts of the Caucasus are frequent and the present one does not attract much attention, except as bearing on the general situation in Russia.

Strike Still Spreads.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 6.—The strike movement in Poland has spread to the governments of Warsaw, Petrikau, Kalisz, Radom, Lublin and Suvalki. Martial law has been declared in Wallisz, Radom and Siedlce.

Strikers Driven Back.

Sosnovice, Feb. 6.—Strikers to the number of 15,000 yesterday marched from Dombrovo to Sosnovice and attempted to reach Warsaw station, but Cossacks drove them back without using weapons.

President of Conference.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 6.—An imperial ukase has been issued appointing Saburoff, member of the council of the empire, president of the special conference to debate the committee of ministers' proposals for the reform of the senate and for framing of laws for local administrative courts. The emperor expresses a desire for speedy conclusion of the labors of the conference.

Gorky to Be Tried.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 4.—It is the intention of the government to bring Maxim Gorky and seven other authors and publicists to trial on political charges. Gov. Gen. Tepoff said:

"The whole case is now in the hands of the ministry of justice, which is conducting the investigation, at the conclusion of which the procurator-general will decide whether the prisoners shall be tried by a civil or military court."

"The story spread broadcast that I have ordered Gorky to be court-martialed and shot is a baseless fabrication, invented by persons who are

Carriers in the local postoffice have come to regard Route No. 7 as a veritable "hoodoo." They don't see why it should be, or anything like that, but it appears to be one nevertheless. There have been four or five carriers on it within the past year or two, and all have voluntarily given it up.

The route is located on the south side, mainly between First to Fifth streets.

Mr. Charles Thacker had the route at first. He claimed a year ago that his health was bad, and was transferred to Clarksburg, West Va., and Mr. D. R. Smith was sent here to succeed him, it being merely an exchange of places.

Mr. Smith carried the route a few months, and then decided it was time to move on. He secured a transfer to Kearney, Neb. Mr. S. G. Rhodes, of Kearney, exchanged places with him and Mr. Rhodes was here only a few months until he left last week for a visit to relatives in Hendersonville, North Carolina, and today he wrote back saying that he had quit entirely. He resigned.

This left a vacancy which was today filled by the appointment of Mr. F. T. Greenwell, substitute, to a regular place as letter carrier. He will have Route No. 11, and Mr. S. E. Ebert, who has had No. 11, will take the "hoodoo," No. 7.

There are two new substitutes appointed as a result of the change. Messrs. John R. Hawkins and R. E. Moore, who are now at work learning the routes.

Shelled the Japs.

Tokio, Feb. 6.—A dispatch from the front states that the Russians are strongly entrenched in the vicinity of Changtin, south of Mukden. They shelled the Japanese position Saturday and Sunday. An attack made on the Japanese position in the vicinity of Machuntzushan, and attacks of minor importance were repulsed.

Love increase by labor.

Ignorant of Russia or else they would know that it is impossible for a representative of the Russian administration to order any prisoner to be executed or even to decide the form of trial. Yet I am in receipt of letters daily from abroad, imploring me to spare Gorky's life. I repeat that I am in nowise concerned in this matter; I even do not know whether the procurator-general may decide to provisionally release Gorky, as he did in the case of Hessen, Mikotkin and Kareff. I can not, of course, reveal the exact terms of the accusation against the prisoner, but you may emphatically contradict the version of the discovery of documents implicating eight men who were to have comprised a provisional government.

Turning to the question of the present aspect of affairs, the governor-general said:

"We have every reason to feel satisfied Masters and men are now on excellent terms, and work is proceeding everywhere quietly. The reception of the workmen's deputation by the emperor has created the best impression."

Many Petitions In.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 6.—Petitions for and against a constitution were received by Czar Nicholas today. The nobles are divided in their desire on the matter, and it is forecasted today that should the czar call an assembly the nobility vote will probably show a reactionary majority endorsing the demands of the nobles of many districts, that they be granted full power.

Strikers Return to Work.

Loz, Feb. 6.—The strike movement received a hard blow today by the return of a number of workmen to the factories which are being guarded by soldiers.

Tokio, Feb. 6.—General Matsumura, the hero of 203 Meter Hill, is dead. A dispatch from the front states that he succumbed to an attack of congestion of the brain. He held the Japanese in the attack on 203 Meter Hill, which was the first step in the final movement which resulted in the fall of Port Arthur. In recognition of his services he was appointed a division commander.

Third General Wounded.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 6.—According to General Kuropatkin's latest reports which indicate the wounding of a third Russian general, Dombowski, the operations at Sandiau and fighting at Shakhe have been momentarily suspended. The Russians successfully repulsed the latest attack of the Japanese eastward with heavy loss. The cold is still intense, there being 24 degrees of frost.

There are indications that the Japanese are preparing to break the inactivity on their own account as soon as the weather moderates.

Skirmishes Are Reported.

Tokio, Feb. 6.—There were a number of skirmishes along the Sha and Hun rivers Friday night and Saturday. Russians shelled portions of the Japanese lines Friday night and small bodies of Russians attacked Waitao and Titi mountain and places in those vicinities. Reports received from Japanese Manchurian headquarters say all attacks were repulsed.

Friday afternoon the Russian batteries stationed at Liuchietun and Wanpa mountain, north of Sha river, and at other places shelled the Japanese positions. Saturday morning 600 cavalry comprising one force and two companies of infantry and one battery simultaneously attacked Chitaitse on the right bank of the Hun river. The Russians appeared to have reserves. The Japanese garrison at Chitaitse was defending the place when the report of the attack was forwarded.

Three hundred Russian cavalry with two guns occupied Songchin, on Plaksin bay, northeastern Korea, January 24, but abandoned the two January 28, and retired northward.

Japs Were Worsted.

Mukden, Feb. 6.—During the night of February 1, the Japanese artillery facing the Russian right opened a terrific fire on the Russian position for an attack. The Russian artillery replied, and the cannonading lasted until the afternoon.

During the night of February 2 the Japanese attacked the village of Schantan and adjoining the Russian positions; but by daylight of February 3, they had been defeated along the entire front. The Russians even advanced slightly. Russian losses were about 300 and those of the Japanese were heavy.

None Killed.

Tsinktchen, Feb. 6.—The Russian loss in the successful reconnaissance of Vantoz Pass was nine wounded.

Little Hard Fighting.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 6.—General Kuropatkin in a report to the czar says:

"No fighting was reported on February 4. At present the activity is confined operations by volunteers which harass the enemy. There is artillery firing on both sides and hasty strengthening of positions by both Russians and Japanese."

General Kuropatkin on Friday reported the repulse of the Japanese advanced guard on the left flank towards Saosyr and Chansan with slight losses, the Japanese leaving 50 dead on the field.

Servian Cabinet Resigns.

Belgrade, Feb. 6.—The Servian cabinet, headed by S. Grouitch, has resigned. The cause is court troubles.

Tokio, Feb. 6.—It is reported that rebels at Cordova, the seat of the rebellion, have offered to surrender if guaranteed their lives will be spared.

A march of five hundred troops started for that point this morning.

In attacks upon police stations Saturday morning several rioters were killed, about thirty were injured and 250 arrested. Order has been completely restored.

Ex-President Roca telegraphed President Quintana offering his services in restoration of order.

With a view to avoiding bloodshed the government has sent a sufficiently large force of men to Mendoza and Cordova to easily overpower the few hundreds of revolutionaries. It is hoped the latter will be forced to surrender without fighting. There are 5,000 men marching on these two towns by different routes.

The revolution being practically crushed the government has annulled the decree calling out the reserves.

Saturday's Attack.

Buenos Ayres, Feb. 6.—(Delayed) Mutinous troops from San Lorenzo have attacked Rosario without success. They were obliged to retire. Government troops drawn from Tucuman and San Juan are marching on Mendoza to re-establish order there.

The government of the province of Mendoza is said to be a prisoner in the hands of the insurgents.

Mysterious Death.

Rev. C. E. Bentley Falls in a Los Angeles Lodging House.

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 6.—The death of Rev. C. E. Bentley, of Lincoln, Neb., in a lodging house at 125 South Los Angeles street Saturday night, puzzles the police.

Rev. Bentley, according to a story told by Mrs. Douglass, proprietress of the lodging house, applied for a room about 8 o'clock Saturday night. He was accompanied by a stylishly dressed woman who wore a thick black veil.

The landlady showed them to a room and while she was turning on the light Bentley dropped to the floor unconscious. The woman who accompanied him to the house left suddenly.

An autopsy was held and it was found that death was due to heart disease. Rev. Bentley and his wife arrived in Los Angeles last Friday.

Rev. Bentley was the Liberty party's candidate for the presidency in the campaign of 1896, and was three times the candidate for United States senator from Nebraska. He was 64 years of age.

BEDFORD MURDER.

One Acquitted and Another Suspect Held Over.

Bedford, Ind., Feb. 6.—Justice Mc

Lahlan this morning acquitted Frank Evans, charged with murdering Sarah Schafer, the high school teacher. Elmer Browning was held to the grand jury on the same charge for further investigation.

TODAY'S MARKETS

Wheat—

May, 1.17% 1.16%

July, 1.02% 1.01%

Corn—

May, .45% .45%

July, .46 .45%

Oats—

May, .30% .30%

July, .30 .30%

Pork—

Jan., 12.92 12.95

Cotton—

Mch., 7.85 7.43

May, 7.26 7.49

July, 7.35 7.15

Aug., 7.48 7.64

Stocks—

I. C., 1.56 1.55

Open—

May, 1.17% 1.16%

July, 1.02% 1.01%

Corn—

May, .45% .45%

July, .46 .45%

Oats—

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TODAY'S NEWS IN THE CONTESTS

Another Day of Heavy Voting
in all the Contests.

There Are Some New Entries, Too, in
the City Contests Shown
Today.

SOME NOTES OF THE CONTESTS

Voting in The Sun's contests today has been very lively again, and the task of counting the votes each day has become a big one.

There are no changes in the standing of the contestants today, but the totals have grown to big figures.

Mr. R. A. Gilbert, "Bert," as he is known by his friends, is a new entry today in the most popular man in Paducah contest, and will no doubt prove a factor in this race. Mr. John Die and Mr. John Dunaway are also new entries in this list and both are very popular men and will undoubtedly prove factors, also, in the race.

The interest in each race increases each day and The Sun's phone is busy answering inquiries about the contests all day and into the night.

MEN'S CONTEST.

Willie Pierce.....	6705
H. E. Thompson.....	6639
Dr. Adrian Hoyer.....	5603
John Austin.....	5042
Ed. Wheeler.....	4294
John Trantham.....	4227
Russell Long.....	4169
"Gus" Budde.....	3624
John Die.....	2200
H. L. Judd.....	1747
John Dunaway.....	1100
Louis Bobout.....	612
R. A. (Bert) Gilbert.....	325
L. K. Taylor.....	227
J. G. Switzer.....	142
Virgil Berry.....	113
Jo Vancé.....	20
R. L. Beck.....	1

MOST POPULAR LADY.

Miss Pauline Hinton.....	18235
Miss Nel Young.....	10444
Mrs. Albert Meyer.....	7276
Mrs. A. Denker.....	5800
Mrs. Chas. Holliday.....	3556
Mrs. Amanda Iseman.....	2566
Miss Jessie Rook.....	512
Miss Lizzie Eddington.....	475
Miss Zola Farnsley.....	159
Mrs. Whitmer.....	157
Miss Mabel Roberts.....	150
Miss Bertie Pointer.....	148
Miss Bertha Kettler.....	140
Miss Addie Roper.....	110

LADY ON RURAL ROUTES.

Miss Mabel Hough.....	13292
Miss Lulu Gholson.....	10727
Miss Halleene Yancey.....	5762
Lizzie Lawrence.....	322
Lucy Chiles.....	7

MAN ON RURAL ROUTES.

J. C. Rives.....	9227
Dr. L. E. Young.....	7285
J. W. Harris.....	6824
Chas. Thornhill.....	3400
F. H. Chiles.....	502
A. F. Miller.....	173
J. C. Harris.....	150
Clyt Randle.....	6
R. A. Walston.....	2
W. T. Lawrence.....	2

The prizes to be given away are as follows:

To the most popular ladies' in Paducah:

A Piano,

A Gold Watch.

As Umbrella.
To the most popular men in Paducah:

\$100 in Gold,
A Gold Watch,
As Umbrella.
To the most popular lady residing on the rural routes in this county:

A Gold Watch.
To the most popular man residing on the rural routes in this county:

A Buggy.

Everyone is entitled to a vote in each of these contests. All you have to do is to fill out the ballots to be found in each issue of The Sun and send them in. You will note that the ballots have a time limit—must be voted within a week of the date thereon.

Special coupons of votes will be issued for payments on subscriptions, and we would call everyone's attention to the fact that subscriptions paid now are worth double what they will be worth in March. For instance: 40¢ will pay for The Sun for one month and entitle you to 80 votes, if paid now. The same subscription paid in March will entitle you to only 40 votes. A year's subscription, \$4.50, will entitle you to 1,100 votes, if paid now, in March, if you wait, it will be worth only 500 votes. Thus you see the wisdom of sending in your subscriptions early.

The piano is "The Valley Gem," sold by W. T. Miller, and is one of the best pianos he sells. It is valued at \$250.

The watch for the first contest is on exhibition at Nagel & Meyer, for the second at J. L. Wolff's, for the third contest, at Warren & Warren's.

The buggy for the most popular man in the county, is one Powell & Rogers sell for \$65, and can be seen at their place of business.

I vote for

As the most popular lady residing on the rural routes in the county.

Not good after February 6.

I vote for

As the most popular man residing on the rural routes in the county.

Not good after February 6.

I vote for

As the most popular lady in Paducah.

Not good after February 6.

I vote for

As the most popular man in Paducah.

Not good after February 6.

SICK PEOPLE.

Miss Nancy Baker is ill of pneumonia fever at the home of Mrs. J. J. Dorian, of Fourth and Adams.

Dr. M. G. Milam, who has been very ill for the past several days, from paralysis, is reported no better, his many friends will regret to learn.

Subscribe for The Sun.

COMMERCIAL CLUB GETS FACTORY SITE

Given to the City to be Offered Some Factory.

Chairman Ben Weille Out Getting
New Members by the Whole-
sale Every Day.

THOSE WHO WILL JOIN CLUB

Col. Ben Weille, chairman of the soliciting committee of the Commercial club, this morning received a handsome gift for the club in the way of a factory site. The Commercial club is authorized to offer the site as an inducement to some enterprise to come to Paducah.

Five acres of land about three blocks this side of the old fair ground and within a short distance of the railroad, were donated to the Commercial club by Mr. J. R. Moore, the dairyman, through Col. Ben Weille. It will make an elegant factory site and the club can do what it sees fit with the property, but the donor suggests that it be offered to some manufacturing industry to come here and locate.

This is the first donation the club has received since it was reorganized and started out for a larger membership, but it hopes to secure many similar gifts. The club has started out with renewed energy and many new members are to be added.

Col. Ben Weille has been out soliciting names for new membership and has received the pledges of the following to join at the next meeting:

Charles Leake, Dick Clements, Jeff D. Robertson, Wm. Minnick, Louis Clark, Dave Levy, Henry Kamleiter, Caesar Berger, Henry Beyer, H. G. Harmeling, John Donovan, Will Gray, John Ward, J. G. Brooks, R. W. Walker & Co., Sanderson & Co., C. L. Brunson & Co., P. H. Stewart, Probst & Dunlap, Warren & Warren, S. W. Whittemore, Ed. Henson, Felix G. Rudolph, G. B. Froage, Brown & Shelton.

This is quite a list of new members to secure in one or two days and Col. Weille and his committee is just getting into the work. He intends to swell the Commercial club list to over twice its former size and in every way aid Paducah in her growth in population, attractiveness and prestige.

NEW COLLEGE

At La Centre Will Open About April.

The new college building at La Centre, Ky., is rapidly nearing completion and the board of trustees have secured Prof. C. H. Wood to take charge of the institution. The first term will open Monday April 3, 1905, and continue three months. La Centre is located on the Illinois Central midway between Cairo and Paducah.

Inspector Due Today.

Insurance Commissioner C. C. Rose stated this morning that he expected Mr. G. W. Gano, the electrical inspector for Kentucky and Tennessee board of underwriters, here this afternoon.

Mr. Gano wrote from Louisville last week that he intended coming Monday. He has a great deal of work to do and will complete it before leaving Paducah.

Crowds on Chicago's streets were attracted by a triangular spot on the sun, which was distinctly visible to the naked eye. Prof. Frost, of the Yerkes observatory, has been studying it for several days, and says it is the largest sun spot ever observed, being probably 30,000 miles in diameter. He believes it to be due to terrific storms on the sun.

BIRTHS.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Stewart, 523 North Twelfth, a boy baby. Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Lally of Elizabeth street, a fine boy.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Swink of South Thirteenth, a boy baby.

Among those who will probably not read your "Help Wanted" ad. today are the folks who secured new jobs yesterday. All of those who are looking for work today will read it.

INTEREST PAID

On time deposits left with the Paducah Banking Company. A safe and profitable way to save your money.

SOME FIRST-CLASS GREAT MEN ARE BADLY WANTED IN KENTUCKY

I believe it was George Selwyn, the famous wit, who gave the order in a London club, "Waiter, spittoons for two," when a Jacobite country squire, in dispute with a London Whig, exclaimed, "I spit on your King George," to which the other retorted, "And I spit on your pretender, Charles Edward," says Savoyard in the Louisville Post. Senator Blackburn and Gov. Beckham are passing Rolands and Olivers like those, right now, and a man with spittoons to sell might find a market at Frankfort. The governor says Joe is not fit for senator, and Joe says Beckham is not fit to be governor. The best thing old Kentucky could do is to take both of them at their word and send both to private life as soon as possible. Beckham took an office to which he was not elected, and Blackburn paid the highest price for a senatorship any man ever paid in our history. The friend and the beneficiary, in peace, of John Stanford—his comrade in war—and eulogist, in death, the grave was not green over him when Joe Blackburn began to fetch and carry for Bill Goebel, and it was Goebel who made him senator. No other man that I ever heard of in American history ever paid such a price for any office.

No state in the union needs a crop of first-class, great men more than Kentucky needs it. Never in the history of the old commonwealth has her quota of public men been of so low a standard. James B. Beck, John G. Carlisle and William Lindsay—these were senators from Kentucky since 1865. I forgot to name James Guthrie, who succeeded Lazarus W. Parnell, as Garrett Davis succeeded John C. Breckinridge. That was the caliber of Kentucky statesmanship for that third of a century. Then the voice of Kentucky was heard clear across the continent and to the uttermost parts of the union. Who pays any attention to what Kentucky says, or cares for what Kentucky thinks in 1905? In 1866 the Democratic party was in as bad a fix as it is now. Who brought it out of the wilderness and set it on its feet? It was the Kentucky Democracy. Who would entrust a job to Blackburn or Beckham? It was a reorganization of the Kentucky Democracy in 1866 that gave inspiration to the Democrats in every state, north and south. It made the way for the election of old Bill Allen to the office of governor of Ohio in 1873, and before that it made possible the election of "the noble old Roman," Allen G. Thurman, to the senate in 1869. It was the manifesto of the Kentucky Democracy in 1866 that encouraged the Democracy of New York to make Sam'l J. Tilden governor in 1874, and but for the action of the Kentucky Democracy in 1866, Samuel J. Tilden would not have been elected president of the United States in 1876.

If that same 1866 squad of Kentuckians had worthy successors in 1905 there would be some hope for the Democratic party in 1908. We would not see the Democratic contingent in congress applauding a Republican president for his paternalism, and following Bryan for his socialism. The Democratic party would have some principles and some virility, but today the Kentucky Democracy is only and merely two factions. The mission of one is to keep Joe Blackburn in the senate, and the object of the other is to continue Crips Beckham boss of the state machine. To this complexion has the Kentucky Democracy come at last. Has it any other aspirations? None that I know of, unless it be to steal an election that it cannot get by honest endeavor. No man can be elected to office unless he has the party nomination, and nobody can get the party nomination without it be in accordance with the will of the machine. The dual nomination for congress last year of Campbell Cantrill and South Trimble was the most audacious that I ever heard of in American politics. Boss Quay would have shrunk from it; Boss Tweed would not have dared it. It was a trafficking in the judicial ermine that has no parallel in profane history in a free country. The casting of lots for the vestments of the Crucified Redeemer is the only thing I know of that any ways nearly approached the Lexington congressional convention of 1904. We have no knowledge or information on which to form a belief that the dice of the Roman guards were loaded; but everybody knows that the Lexington convention was "fixed." Kentucky will not stand that sort of thing much longer.

If the Kentucky Republican machine had not been even worse than the Democratic machine the Republicans would have held the state all the last ten years. Take the Republican convention of 1892. Dr. Hunter came up from Central America and fixed it. There was no need of going to the expense of the journey, or of the convention. The doctor could have written a letter naming the ticket and it would have served just as well. He had been fortunate in picking McKinley for a winner, and tying on to Mark Hanna. The only political gumption Hunter ever had was not a sagacity, but an instinct. He is also somewhat skillful in organization, but Hunter knows less than one-tenth as much about political principles and political history as old Guffey, of Butler county, knows. And when it comes to political ideals he is in Aaron Kohn's class.

Well, the Republicans got rid of this boss. I knew they were going to do it as soon as I found out that Hunter was plowing with the Democratic heifer. The Eleventh district will not stand for that sort of business. Hunter now has an office to which he was never elected, and after the 4th of March, if he ever gets another elective office in Kentucky, his name will be under the Democratic rooster. Stranger things have happened, and the doctor is a versatile man—politically.

The Democrats had better watch out. It was the rivalry between Blackburn and McCreary in 1895 that made the election to the senate of the unspeakable and impossible Deboe a chapter in Kentucky history that will astound future generations. Hunter made him senator, but Hunter will never again make another senator—from old Kentucky, thank God.

Hunter is not the only shackling Republican in Kentucky—not by a long sight, or any other sight. The Republican machine in Kentucky is not very fair to look upon, and not very lovely to think about. The boss lives in Covington and the eternal devil himself could learn many a trick of politics he never dreamed of—Republican as well as Democratic—in that same town of Covington. I attended the state conventions of the Kentucky Democracy in 1867 and many subsequent years, and nobody ever found out what was the matter with Kenton county; but there was always a heap the matter with her. And I am informed that the Republican crowd is just like the Democratic crowd up there.

CLOSING FEATURES MOST ENJOYABLE

Last Meeting of Kentucky Exhibit Association Held.

President A. Y. Ford Presented With a Magnificent Chest of Silver By the Others.

A PLEASANT BANQUET HELD

Postmaster F. M. Fisher returned this morning from Louisville, where he attended the final meeting of the Kentucky Louisiana Purchase commission. Yesterday's Courier-Journal says of the meeting:

"The meeting was attended by A. Y. Ford, president; Sam P. Jones, Clarence Dallam, Asher G. Caruth, Louisville; Charles E. Hodge, Frankfort; F. M. Fisher, Paducah; Garrett S. Wall, Maysville; M. H. Crump, Bowling Green and Judge B. L. D. Guffy, Morgantown.

"The board unanimously approved all the acts of the president and executive committee and those of the secretary and directors of exhibits.

A recapitulation of receipts and expenditures, from and through all sources, was read by Mr. Ford. This was supplemented by reports in detail, submitted by R. E. Hughes, secretary. The financial report showed that the total receipts from the Kentucky Exhibit Association, from salvage at the close of the fair and from the state appropriation were \$112,000. The distribution from the three funds amounted to \$109,000, leaving to be returned to the state treasury \$2,800. The salvage from the sale of the Kentucky building and furnishings, as shown by the reports, was \$2,611.70.

"The commission returned to the state, for future exposition or as a nucleus for permanent exhibit in the new capitol building, material amounting to \$7,338.05, making a total to the state in cash and material of more than \$10,000.

"The expenses of the commissioners amounted to only \$2,600, while under the act it was permissible for them to expend as expenses \$3,750.

The services of the commissioners were not remunerated. The reports showed that the salvage from the various exhibits was \$3,000. A lot of material returned to the state will go to the state museum and agricultural experiment station at Lexington, and the blind and deaf institutes. These institutions are considered custodians of the materials turned over to them, the material being subject to disposition by act of the legislature.

"An auditing committee, composed of Col. Hoge, F. M. Fisher and M. M. Crump, was appointed to audit the work of Mr. Hughes, the secretary. The committee went over Mr.

GOOD NEWS.

Many Paducah Readers Have Heard It and Profited Thereby.

"Good news travels fast," and thousands of bad back sufferers in Paducah are glad to learn that prompt relief is within their reach. Many a lame, weak and aching back is bad no more, thanks to Doan's Kidney Pills. Our citizens are telling the good news of their experience with the Old Quaker remedy. Here is an example worth reading:

B. C. Jones, of Newbern, Livingston county, Ky., writes: "I had backache for seven years and I sought for long time something to check the excessive flow of the kidney secretions but found no relief. I was weak, had the headache all day and night for forty years. I could not sleep well and was about giving up all hope of ever being relieved for I had consulted doctors and tried everything I could get hold of. When I first saw your advertisement in one of the papers I concluded to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and I got a supply. I found to my joy that they gave me great relief. I was entirely freed from pain and also from the irregularities which had annoyed me so much. That was over five months ago, and I have not had a headache since, although I had suffered in this way since I was a small boy. I have recommended the pills to fifty different persons, some of them in Paducah, and a great many have reported to me the good results they have derived from using them."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Hughes' work yesterday afternoon, their report being a high compliment to Mr. Hughes.

"The final settlement of the commission's affairs evidences the fact that no better men could have been selected to compose the commission, and the reports are the highest compliment to them in every way. The final meeting of the commission was held on the anniversary of its organization one year ago."

Of the banquet and presentation of a chest of silver to Mr. A. Y. Ford, the Courier-Journal says:

"In recognition of the services of Arthur Y. Ford, in directing the affairs of the Kentucky Exhibit Association and later of the Kentucky board of commissioners, the directors of the association, the members of the commission, the superintendents of exhibits, committees and others associated with him in the work gave a dinner in his honor last evening at Seelbach's hotel, at which he was presented with a magnificent chest of silver on behalf of his associates, and an oil painting on behalf of the artists of Kentucky, whose work he gave a prominent place in the Kentucky exhibit. The speech of presentation was made by Judge Asher G. Caruth.

The gift of the chest of silver came as a complete surprise to Mr. Ford, and not until Judge Caruth pointed to the table behind Mr. Ford where the chest had been silently placed and opened while he was speaking did Mr. Ford know that a present was in store for him.

"The dinner was in the nature of a general love feast and marked the closing of the work. Robert E. Hughes, the secretary of the commission and director of exhibits, shared with Mr. Ford the compliments for the manner in which Kentucky was represented, as did every member of the commission and the directors of the several exhibits."

Mr. R. E. Hughes was toastmaster, and introduced in turn the speakers on the following unique program, which he had put together:

ELEVATOR CARD—A SKY SCRAPER.

(Ten Stories and a Roof Garden.)

At the Lever—R. E. Hughes.

First Story—A World's Fair Commissioner at Long Range; Col. Chas. E. Hodge, Frankfort.

Second Landing—Bobby Shaftoe, the Prize Winner; Prof. E. H. Mark, Louisville.

Out at Third—Furnishing a House at Cost; Mr. Sam P. Jones, Louisville.

Fourth Floor—Bathrooms — A Confession; Judge Garrett S. Wall, Maysville.

Upon Five—is it Luck or Pluck that rhymes with Kaintuck? Mr. David B. G. Rose, Louisville.

Alight at Six—Smoke Up! You're Nearly Out—A Tobacco Puff; Mr. Charles D. Campbell, Louisville.

Seven—A Hike from the Pike to the Art Palace; Mr. Marvin Eddy, Louisville.

Eight, Sir—Newspapers, Post-offices, Commissionerships—And the Greatest of These Is; Mr. Frank M. Fisher, Paducah.

Ninth Stop—Hemp Is Made for Other Uses Than Hangman's Knots; Prof. J. N. Harper, Louisville.

Nearest Heaven (the Roof Garden, full of Flowers) Our President; Judge Asher G. Caruth, Louisville.

Back to Earth—Not Good-bye but Au Revoir; Mr. A. Y. Ford, Louisville.

DON'T TEAR THIS CARD FROM THE ELEVATOR.

Each of those on the toast card, as his name was told a story or made some brief, happy reference to his experience during the life of the commission or at the fair.

SENT BACK.

Mr. G. D. Truett, of the American Express Company, Here Again.

Mr. G. D. Truett, of the American Express Co., who formerly worked in the local office, has been transferred back to Paducah.

He took the position of runner on the Louisville and Central City accommodation trains to act in the place of Mr. R. W. Turtin, who had been ill. Mr. Turtin has resumed duty and Mr. Truett was returned to Paducah. Mr. Dick Williams has been acting in Mr. Truett's place here.

NOT EXPECTED TO LIVE.

Mr. T. C. Crider, a prominent and highly respected citizen of Hickory Grove, who has been confined to his bed at his home for several months now is in a very critical condition, and his physicians say that there is no chance for his recovery. Mr. Crider's many friends will be sorry to learn of his condition. His brother, Mr. John Crider, and wife, formerly of this city, but now of Paducah, were called to his bedside yesterday.—Mayfield Messenger.

MANY VARIETIES GIVEN PADUCAHANS

WEATHER OF EVERY DESCRIPTION DISHED OUT HERE.

Street Cars Suffer Some—Boys in Their Glory On the Slip Streets and Pavements.

PLAYED HAVOC ELSEWHERE.

The weather has played many pranks with the suffering public since Saturday, and many different conditions have existed since then.

Saturday afternoon the ice on the pavements began to thaw, but late in the afternoon a stiff north wind sprang up and the pavements and streets began to freeze hard again Sunday morning the temperature had fallen a little and a light snow began to fall, later changing to a drizzling rain, which froze on the snow. The trees presented the same appearance on a small scale of the sleet storm of several years ago, and sleighing and skating are good.

Boys have been skating on the streets and sidewalks since yesterday afternoon. The side streets afford the best places for this sport, because of the reduced traffic. The sleety streets are hard on horses, however, and it requires caution on the part of drivers to keep their horses from slipping down.

Grocery delivery wagons, coal wagons, and in fact every class of vehicle is affected.

The street car company has experienced more than its share of hard luck since the bad weather set in and strange to say it all came just when felt the most.

Last week car No. 81 broke an axle on Broadway near Sixth street, and had to be repaired in the open air. Following this came the breaking of an axle on No. 62 on South Third near Norton Sunday afternoon. Later in the afternoon car No. 32 broke an axle near Eleventh and Norton, making three cars within a week with broken axles.

The railroad yard men are having a hard time on account of the weather, especially since yesterday, when the rain set in and froze.

All switches "froze up" and laborers were busy this morning thawing them out. Last night they had to be thawed at sidings out on the road and many freight trains were delayed because of it.

DAMAGE FROM SLEET STORM.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 6.—Telephone and telegraph service over a wide area of the south was crippled by heavy sleet yesterday. Railroad service also suffered and in some towns lighting and street car facilities were suspended. The tie-up was the most complete in many years and although the telegraph companies and railroads have large forces of men at work it may be two or three days before normal conditions resume.

The storm, which covered with a thick icy coat Kentucky, Tennessee, Arkansas, Mississippi, Alabama, Louisiana and Georgia, had prevailed intermittently for three days and wires broke under the accumulated ice.

In Chattanooga the streets were filled with broken wires and a lineman was killed by a live wire. Lighting and street car currents were turned off to avoid further danger to pedestrians and linemen.

The hardware men and others dealing in sleds and skates have done a good business this winter, especially since the last snow arrived.

One of the biggest hardware dealers in the city sold out the first snow and there has been a continual run on the other merchants dealing in runners and skates.

Some boys are economical and make their own sleds and there are runners of every description to be seen on the streets. Skates have also been selling well. The hardware men carry a larger line of skates than sleds because there is a greater demand in winter, ice appearing when snow does not.

This is probably the first winter in many years where such an enormous business in these articles has been done.

MRS. GUS COVINGTON HURT.

Mrs. Gus Covington is improving from a painful injury sustained last Tuesday night. She slipped on the ice on the porch and fell violently to the ground and fractured her right arm. She is now improving, although it will be several days before the member is free from pain.—Mayfield Messenger.

NERVOUS DYSPEPSIA. A CURE FOR ALL.

Not a Patent Cure-all, Nor a Modern Miracle, But Simply a Rational Cure for Dyspepsia.

In these days of humbuggery and deception, the manufacturers of patent medicines, as a rule, seem to think their medicines will not sell unless they claim that it will cure every disease under the sun. And they never think of leaving out dyspepsia and stomach troubles. They are sure to claim that their nostrum is absolutely certain to cure every dyspeptic and he need look no further.

In the face of these absurd claims it is refreshing to note that the proprietors of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets have carefully refrained from making any undue claims or false representations regarding the merits of this most excellent remedy for dyspepsia and stomach troubles. They make but one claim for it, and that is, that for indigestion and various stomach troubles Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is a radical cure. They go no further than this, and any man or woman suffering from indigestion, chronic or nervous dyspepsia, who will give the remedy a trial will find that nothing is claimed for it that the facts will not fully sustain.

It is a modern discovery, composed of harmless vegetable ingredients acceptable to the weakest or most delicate stomach. Its great success in curing stomach troubles is due to the fact that the medicinal properties are such that it will digest whatever wholesome food is taken into the stomach, no matter whether the stomach is in good working order or not. It rests the overworked organ and replenishes the body, the blood, the nerves, creating a healthy appetite, giving refreshing sleep and the blessings which always accompany a good digestion and proper assimilation of food.

In using Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets no dieting is required. Simply eat plenty of wholesome food and take these Tablets at each meal, thus assisting and resting the stomach, which rapidly regains its proper digestive power, when the Tablets will be no longer required.

Nervous Dyspepsia is simply a condition in which some portion or portions of the nervous system are not properly nourished. Good digestion invigorates the nervous system and every organ in the body.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are sold by all druggists at 50 cents per package.

Theatrical Notes

"A Romance of Coon Hollow," which will be seen at The Kentucky tonight, has some of the most exquisite scenery on the road. The first act reveals an autumn view of a typical southern plantation, with sunset and moonlight effects, and contains a splendid electrical display. The second act is a fac simile of "Coon Hollow," a rugged gien in the Tennessee hills, painted from sketches made on the spot, and is made sensational by a strong and thrilling climax. The last act is given to an actual cotton compress in operation, and is thrillingly dramatic. A select company will interpret the strong characters. Seats now on sale.

OFFICERS RE-ELECTED.

Cumberland Telephone Company
Fourth to the Largest in the Country.

The board of directors of the Cumberland Telephone & Telegraph company met in Nashville and the old officers of the company were re-elected without exception. No other business was transacted.

The annual meeting of the stockholders was held Thursday in Hopkinsville. J. S. Robinson, of Memphis, and Ned Baxter, Jr., were added to the directorate, increasing the board to fourteen members.

The reports of the officers showed the company to be fourth in the United States in the number of subscribers and seventh in point of capitalization. During the year the capital stock was increased about 15 percent, or \$1,754,300.

DIED OF OLD AGE.

Aged Colored Woman Was Perhaps
Nearly 100 years Old.

Coroner James Crow was yesterday called to 1121 North Ninth street to hold an inquest over the remains of Harriet Thorpe, a colored woman, who died of old age. She had no doctor and the coroner had to be called to investigate and sign the death certificate. The woman claimed to be about 75 years old, but Coroner Crow says she must have been nearer 100, as he knew her years ago when he was first on the police force, and she was an old woman then and claimed to be 75 years of age.

She leaves a son, with whom she lived. The remains were taken to Rocky Ford, on the I. C. near the city, for burial.

Price Reductions Just

When You Need Them

THESE wintry days have sent many a customer in for an overcoat or suit or pair of trousers. The cut prices could not have come more timely.

Remember, we give One-Fourth Off on Men's and Children's Suits and Overcoats and also all Men's and Children's Trousers.

B. Weille & Son

any other play now upon the American stage. The heart interest in "Arizona" is of the highest order, dealing as it does with the love of a stern soldier for his wife, who is at least twenty years younger than he, and on whom an exciting existence does not pall. Her soldier husband is jealous to an alarming degree, thereby furnishing for the author an excusable chance for the plot of the play. The characters introduced are all well known to the public, consisting as they do of Canby, the ranchman, who has made a success in the beautiful Aravaipa Valley near which is situated the Fort which his son-in-law commands. His two beautiful daughters, his wife, a Chinaman, a Mexican vaquero, cowboys, ranchmen, etc., constitute this part of the play, while the colonel of the U. S. Cavalry and his Captain, Lieutenant and other officers and cavalrymen make up the rest of the play. The scenic investitures are almost perfect reproductions of the actual scenes and localities depicted in the play, taken from sketches made on the spot by the eminent artist, Frederick Remington, Canby's ranch, situated in the midst of the beautiful Aravaipa Valley, with its adobe buildings seen in the distance, is a particularly striking picture and one which the audience never fails to applaud. The other scenes are equally as strong, bringing forth a picturesque ness which can only be obtained from the state of Arizona.

The woman's committee of the Y. M. C. A. will give a cake sale on Saturday the 11th at the DuBois drug store.

The new features that are attracting especial interest at the coming state convention at Owensboro, on the 16 to 19, are: The "Athletic Meet," in which all delegates can take part; the special session of the woman's committee, and the three Normal Bible Classes. These will draw many.

FINE ADDRESS

Made by Grand Master Bailey at The Kentucky Yesterday.

Grand Master Bailey, of the I. O. O. F., of Louisville, who came here Thursday to meet the local Odd Fellows, delivered an excellent address at The Kentucky yesterday afternoon to a large crowd of Odd Fellows. There were many outsiders present, also to get the benefit of the address, which was on fraternalism. There was no music, just an address, and it was excellent and will always be remembered by all who heard it. Grand Master Bailey, besides being an excellent speaker, has a personality that makes him friends wherever he goes, and this, the first visit of a grand master to Paducah in nine years, will be long remembered.

He went south from here to meet the lodges there, and will probably pass through Paducah again on his return home to Louisville.

Frank Williams,

The Paducah Sun.

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CIRCULATION STATEMENT.

Jan. 2 .. 2,994	Jan. 17 .. 3,039
Jan. 3 .. 2,986	Jan. 18 .. 3,044
Jan. 4 .. 2,989	Jan. 19 .. 3,046
Jan. 5 .. 2,994	Jan. 20 .. 3,046
Jan. 6 .. 3,007	Jan. 21 .. 4,827
Jan. 7 .. 4,139	Jan. 22 .. 3,049
Jan. 9 .. 2,012	Jan. 24 .. 4,588
Jan. 10 .. 3,014	Jan. 25 .. 3,053
Jan. 11 .. 3,025	Jan. 26 .. 3,053
Jan. 12 .. 3,028	Jan. 27 .. 3,055
Jan. 13 .. 3,035	Jan. 28 .. 4,797
Jan. 14 .. 4,660	Jan. 29 .. 3,058
Jan. 16 .. 3,033	Jan. 31 .. 3,067

Average for the month..... 3,332

Personally appeared before me this day E. J. Paxton, general manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of January, 1905, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR,
Notary Public.
My commission expires Jan. 22, 1908.Daily Thought.
"There is a sense of added power in every victory, a feeling of enlargement at the very thought of overcoming."The Weather.
Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday. Colder tonight.**PRESIDENT OF THE WHOLE PEOPLE.**

The democrats who predict that President Roosevelt and the republicans will disagree, reckon without their host. The democrats are not a very far-seeking lot, as their inevitable ante-election claims and predictions usually prove. There are naturally a few republicans who make dire and foolish predictions that never come true, hence claims that President Roosevelt and other leaders of his party are in danger of a clash are not worthy of belief, no matter who makes them. President Roosevelt is president of the whole people, which the republicans want him to be, and which he is going to be. He and the republican party stand for the same thing,—the greatest good to the greatest number,—and they will co-operate, not clash. The republican party has recognized the sincerity, ability, honesty and determination of President Roosevelt for many years, and the democrats are beginning to recognize them now, and to applaud.

We shall be very much mistaken if the democrats do not find a great many things during President Roosevelt's administration, to admire and endorse. He is a man among men, and is going to do his duty regardless of praise or censure. While being constantly misjudged and maligned he forged ahead, and as the culmination of three years of as bitter, senseless, and unjust denunciation as the democratic press and party ever heaped on a man, emerged last November with the largest plurality ever given a man for president of the United States.

President Roosevelt will do what is right, and he will have the approval of his party, for the republican party is just as eager and sincere in its desire to do what is best for the country as is the president.

For these reasons, time will prove that predictions of an estrangement between the president and his party are utterly without foundation. We are glad to see so many democrats both in the north and south, coming out courageously for President Roosevelt. He is as much their president as ours, and it does the heart of every loyal republican good to see the man they selected as their standard bearer winning the good will and approval of his opponents.

Some of the acts and policies of President Roosevelt are now, even

before his formal election by the electoral college, being endorsed by democratic legislatures.

The Mayfield Messenger is out for Congressman Ollie James for United States senator. It was also for Hearst for president. With the Livingston Banner for McChesney for governor and the Messenger for James for senator, it would seem there is no necessity for the democrats of Kentucky giving the questions further thought, as they are doubtless now settled.

In voting tonight on the streets to be improved, it is to be hoped that the members of the council will remember that a city cannot be built up without sacrifices, if they are such, on the part of some of the people. Every piece of property is good for the cost of improvements on or in front of it. A paved street enhances the value of property of the individual, benefits the public and beautifies the city, and the streets will never be paved if the legislative boards wait until property owners are willing to admit that they are able to pay their proportion of such improvements. In making a city the best plan to pursue is to order such improvements as are advisable or necessary for the city as a whole, regardless of individual protests.

"By their fruits ye shall know them." The Sun derives great pleasure from the knowledge that those enterprises, projects and utilities it has supported in the past are still here, are prosperous, and bid fair to enjoy a successful future, while those it has had occasion at times to warn the public against have panned out just as it said they would. We are proud of it, for it is always pleasant to be on top.

There's one thing noticeable about democratic criticism of Kentucky's governor. How many, if any, of the democratic fault-finders could have filled the office half as well? Jo Blackburn has been in congress pretty close to a quarter of a century, and if he has ever done anything to justify his being sent back three or four times, or even one time, we have never heard of it. And it's a 100 to 1 shot he'll never be sent back again.

The Kentucky legislature seems to be roaming around in a circle. After taking up nearly a month considering a matter that could and should have been settled in a week or two, it is practically back where it started. Kentucky seems to need a change of legislature worse than it does a change of capitol site.

SAVED EIGHT

Sailors Picked Up Just as Their Ship Was Going Down.

New York, Feb. 6.—Picked up as their ship was about to go to the bottom, eight shipwrecked seamen were brought into port on the Atlantic transport line steamer, *Messaba*. The seamen were rescued from the sinking three-masted schooner *Amania* in midocean on February 1.

Rev. W. H. Pinkerton, of the First Christian church, arrived home Saturday from Kenton, O., where he has been conducting a most successful revival for several weeks, and filled his pulpit yesterday. Mr. Pinkerton's earnestness and love of humanity make him an especially successful evangelist, and there were ninety conversions at the Ohio meeting. He preached strong sermons yesterday and was greeted by large congregations.

You are not "too big for your job" if you have not advertised for a better one.

No man who is lacking in imagination can write a good love letter.

The Cigar Critic.

The man who usually knows a good cigar—the judge of tobacco.

This is the smoker that we want to interest in our cigar case.

If we get him started smoking our brands we know that our cigars will hold his trade.

J. H. OEHLSCHLAEGER
Druggist
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PHONE 63**RESIGNATION NOT READ YESTERDAY**

Rev. Perryman Defers it Until Next Sunday's Meeting.

Rev. J. J. Porter, of Joplin, Mo., Is Being Mentioned As His Probable Successor.

NEWS OF THE LOCAL CHURCHES

Rev. G. W. Perryman, of the First Baptist church, did not read his resignation to the church yesterday for a formal vote of the congregation, owing to the reduced attendance resulting from inclement weather. He postponed the matter until next Sunday. The reading of the resignation is largely a formality, it being customary to always allow the church members to vote on such matters, although Rev. Perryman has practically already resigned and arranged to go to Knoxville.

While no definite steps have been taken to select a successor to Dr. Perryman, it is possible that Rev. J. J. Porter, of Joplin, Mo., will be called. Rev. Porter is a Kentuckian, an eloquent preacher, and held a revival here several years ago. He has spent much of his life since entering the ministry, in Illinois and Missouri, but has many friends in Kentucky, and stands high as a minister of the gospel.

Rev. Perryman will possibly sometime this week forward his resignation as a member of the state mission board, and as a member of the state educational board, for which positions he was chosen at a meeting at Campbellsville, Ky., last year.

Rev. E. H. Cunningham, the new pastor of the Second Baptist church, arrived in the city on Saturday from Cadiz and filled his pulpit on yesterday. Mr. Cunningham is one of the rising young ministers of this denomination in Western Kentucky, and comes here with a fine reputation as a minister and a worker. He preached yesterday to interested congregations and will take up his work at once along the various lines of church organization.

Mrs. Cunningham did not accompany her husband but will follow later.

The Senior Epworth League service at the Broadway Methodist church last evening was in charge of the Y. M. C. A. Secretary Blake Godfrey presided and held a very impressive service.

Secretary B. W. Godfrey, of the Y. M. C. A., spoke yesterday morning at the Trimble street Methodist church and pleased his congregation greatly. Mr. Godfrey is alive with consecrated enthusiasm, and carries his hearers along with him. Presiding Elder J. H. Roberts filled this pulpit at night.

The Rev. W. W. Armstrong, pastor of this church, will be absent for a month in Nashville, Tenn., attending the missionary institute of the Southern Methodist church.

In the absence from the city of Rev. T. J. Newell, of the Broadway Methodist church, this pulpit was filled in the morning by the presiding elder, Rev. J. H. Roberts, who preached a strong and thoughtful sermon. The Rev. Mr. Metcalf, of the Louisville conference, preached at this church at night.

Rev. Dr. Clark, of Louisville, chairman of the Presbyterian State Evangelistic work, preached yesterday at the First Presbyterian church. Dr. Clark is a forcible speaker and vigorous thinker and made an excellent impression.

The publication that the board of trustees of the Jewish church here would meet yesterday to call a rabbi, was erroneous as the meeting was set for next Sunday, according to the trustees. The board of seven trustees meet and decide who will be a good man to invite to preach and after he has been heard, it meets again to decide whether or not to recommend him. In event he is considered satisfactory, the trustees recommend to the church and the congregation meets and makes the call.

It is stated that the board has no particular rabbi in view but will consider several at the meeting.

—The county school at Straub, taught by Prof. J. T. McQueen, closed Friday with a big entertainment. The county schools will all soon have been ended until summer or fall.

CAIRO IS AFTER THE 1905 PENNANT

Has Already "Copped Out" 28 Crack Players.

Many of Last Year's Club Are to Have a Trial With the Egyptians This Season.

SOME OTHER BASEBALL NEWS.

The Cairo Bulletin comes forward with the announcement that Cairo has not been dead or sleeping all this time the papers in other Katty league towns have been shouting about the crack teams they intended having.

The Cairo management has signed about all the players unengaged by other teams, it seems, and will have them report two weeks ahead of the season. The Egyptians are determined to have a winning team and will spare no expense in getting the players there to select from.

The Cairo management has signed eight pitchers, four catchers, two first basemen, four second basemen, two short-stops, five fielders, a total of 28 men to select from, and still they are signing them. Bittorf, Weakley and Wagener, pitching last season, are reserved and the new faces will be Cramer, Mattox, Eckstone, Krick and Miller. Harvey and Rutledge, the old catchers, are reserved and the new ones are Edmonds, formerly with Paducah, and Bauer. "Dummy" Hughes and a new man, Hooten, will try for first base. Eichler, Roland, Fultz and McNerry will compete for second, while Dan O'Connor and Thomas will try for the third sack. Kelley and Fehl will try for short-stop, and the six fielders are Haus, Schwab, Larsen, of last season; Sauer, Orehner and Bissell. The Mud Wallowers are also thinking of trying Eddie Powers again, but Powers likes Paducah better and is reserved here.

Eddie Kolb, of the Vincennes team, says he has signed a man named Louis Barbour who has batted as high as .504 in one season, but he didn't say anything about the scorers and umpires in the league Barbour played in.

John S. Ray, last year manager of the Paducah baseball team, but now manager of the Princeton, Ind., team, evidently has not forgotten his strenuous experiences in Paducah and is just a little "sore" on the town.

"I am going to save all my pitchers to go against Paducah," he wrote.

"Chief" Lloyd, "and will work my outfielders in the box against Cairo."

Chief Lloyd takes this to mean that Princeton's main purpose is to beat Paducah, and he wrote back to Ray that he had better get him several teams to come to Paducah for the meeting.

"I am capable of caring for my end of the argument," "Chief" wrote back, "and am not afraid of your bunch. I have a team I intend to go through the league with and hit the top so hard that I will stick as if glued."

Ray wanted to make a few trades and suggested some swapping which showed plainly he didn't know where he stood. For instance he wanted to trade Blackburn for McGill. Blackburn was with Clarksville, whose franchise and team was transferred to Princeton, but Toledo, O., has Blackburn and will leave him in Paducah under "Chief's" care. Ray also suggested trading Reiney, first base for Clarksville, for Brabie and Gerard, but the "Chief" is wise and did not dicker. Lloyd will have the team.

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PHONE 388**Something to Think About.**

If you spend all you earn now you may be able to keep up that way of living for some years to come, but sooner or later, and rather sooner than later, you will reach the time when you will see the need of saving more clearly than you probably do now.

This question of saving is no one-sided affair. We admit that we will be benefited if you save, but we insist that you will receive not only equally as much benefit as ourselves, but actually more.

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and the fans may rest assured of that.

morning qualified as executrix of the estate of the late H. C. Allison and gave bond.

Police Court.

Police Judge D. L. Sanders had but two cases before him this morning, court lasting but a few minutes.

Walter Boyd, colored, who slapped his sweetheart a few times, was fined \$10 and costs.

Lewis Gore and Henry Armstrong, colored, were charged with a breach of peace, and the latter being absent, the case was continued until Monday week.

WORST EVER KNOWN.

Shipping Almost Suspended On New England Coast.

Boston, Feb. 6.—The New England coast south of Cape Cod, is tight in the grasp of the worst ice embargoes known in recent years. Many harbors are completely frozen over and shipping is at a standstill.

TROLLEY CAR.

Jumped the Track and Six Were Killed at Portland, Ore.

Portland, Ore., Feb. 6.—A trolley car carrying sixty-six persons jumped the track and turned over at Mount Villas today. From three to six were killed and every one aboard was more or less seriously injured.

LOCAL LINES.

removed, snapped it and it went off. Dr. J. W. Pendley attended the injured man.

Warden Morse, of the Menard, Ill., penitentiary, has written Chief of Police Collins for information of one Frank Billings, alleged to be doing time here for larceny. Billings is said to have worked here sometime ago at the Cline Mattress factory, and is said to have skinned out from here when the police were after him for obtaining board by false pretenses.

The county supervisors are today hearing protests from property owners whose assessments have been raised. There were fewer raises than usual this year, but the protests do not appear to have fallen off to any noticeable extent.

The Catholic school at Fifth and Monroe streets was closed today on account of the slippery sidewalks. Many of the little children attending slipped down on the way to school and sustained bruises and sprains and to avoid any further injury, school was dismissed until a thaw set in and conditions bettered.

Messrs. Frank Dean and Sam Walker, the local musicians, will go to Kuttawa tomorrow to play with the Kuttawa orchestra at a big banquet.

Mrs. Burns, of South Third, near Elizabeth street, is reported dangerously ill from paralysis.

Mr. L. B. Cross, the dairyman, had an accident to his horse yesterday morning at 7 o'clock while driving near Seventh and Harrison streets. The horse slipped and fell, spraining a hip. He had to send the animal home and secure another. It is not thought the injury will be permanent. The shafts of the milk wagon were broken.

Mr. Sam Liebel is better. He has been suffering from infection, the result of wounds on the head.

Mr. W. B. Curd, at Hotel Richmond, is reported in a precarious condition and not expected to live. He is suffering from pneumonia.

The board of public works will probably this afternoon take up the matter of having uniform meat racks at the market house. It is thinking of putting the racks in wholesale lots and sell them to the butchers.

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Donations to the Charity Club, Dec. 1, 1904 to Feb. 1, 1905.

Mrs. Roberts, two dolls; Palmer, Ferguson Co., 10 loads wood; Pittsburgh Coal Co., 150 bushels coal;

Mrs. J. P. Smith, 1 bucket candy; Mrs. Adolph Well, 1 basket toys;

Mrs. J. Wallerstein, 1 pair shoes; Mrs. Ed Atkins, clothing; Mrs. Rankin, clothing; Master Henry Rankin Dallam, toys; Mrs. E. W. Bockman, clothing, toys, books; Miss Emma Morgan's school, toys and books; U. S. Gas, Coal & Coke Co., 100 bushels coal; Elks, 1,000 bushels coal;

Mrs. Wm. Grey, clothing; Mrs. N. D. Nelson, clothing; Hummel Bros., \$5.00; Mrs. J. P. Smith, toys; Mrs. G. C. Wallace, clothing; Bernheim Bros., Louisville, 400 bushels coal;

Mrs. John Williamson, clothing; Miss Flora Harris, clothing; Mrs. Collins, Clothing; Mrs. Buckner, clothing; Mrs. H. C. Overby, clothing; Mrs. Campbell Flounroy, clothing; Infant class First Christian church, cash; Captain Phillips, \$1.00; Mrs. J. Wallerstein, clothing; Mrs. H. Wallerstein clothing; Mrs. Loeb, clothing; Mrs. Sol Dryfuss, clothing.

Store Was Burned.

Mr. Edwin Wilson, of Paducah, who is working for a big shoe concern in East St. Louis, telegraphed his mother here that the store burned to the ground. No further details of the fire were given.

If you want a real good hair brush—one possessing QUALITY, DURABILITY and real SUBSTANTIANCE of style, we can supply your demand. Our line is the largest in Paducah. We have a leader for a dollar, suitable for family use, which is an exceptionally good bargain.

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Social Notes and About People.

Paducah Represented.

The Washington dispatches announce the first "at home" of the season of Mrs. J. C. S. Blackburn, of Kentucky, as a most brilliant event in Washington society. A genuine "Old Kentucky homespun" was imparted to the scene by the blazing wood-fire on the hearths of the reception rooms, and the hospitable spread in the cozy dining room. Many notable Kentuckians were present and the old State fully sustained her fame for beautiful women. Among the attractive Kentucky students in Washington who were present especially noted is paid "Miss Sallie George Blakie, of Hopkinsville, who is at the Florence school on Massachusetts avenue, under the tutelage of Miss Anna Webb, a very handsome and attractive woman, formerly of Paducah."

Date of Louisville Wedding.

Invitations to the wedding of Mr. Eckstein Norton, of New York City, and Miss Jane Washington Helm, of Louisville, have been received here. The wedding will take place on Tuesday the 21st, at 12 o'clock at Calvary church, Louisville, followed by a breakfast at the Helm home, 1523 Fourth avenue, at one o'clock.

Mr. Norton is the son of the late Mr. Eckstein Norton, of New York, formerly of Paducah, and has relatives here. Miss Helm belongs to a prominent Kentucky family and is a Louisville belle.

Wedding of Two Couples Announced

The wedding bands of Mrs. Kate Phelps and Mr. William Seitz of the St. John's section, were published yesterday at high mass at the St. Frances de Sales Catholic church. The wedding will take place in a few weeks.

Epworth League Meeting.

The Senior Epworth League of the Broadway Methodist church, will meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock with Mrs. Minnie Herndon, 115 N. Sixth street. All the members and especially the recently elected officers, are asked to be present without fail.

Standard Club to Entertain.

The Standard club will give a card party and dance tonight to its members.

The bans of Miss Rada Elder and Mr. Iver Merryman were published yesterday morning at the St. Francis de Sales Catholic church. The wedding will take place on February 22 at this church.

Dr. and Mrs. C. G. Warner have gone to Chicago to visit.

Mrs. Jesse S. Spinner of West Broadway, has returned from a visit to Louisville.

Rev. John O'Bryan, of Madisonville, is in the city the guest of his son Mr. John O'Bryan, the lineman.

Hon. Charles Reed and daughter, Miss Emma Reed, left last night for Indianapolis, Anderson, Ind., and Chicago on a week's visit.

Attorney Jake Corbett, of Wickliffe, is in the city today on business.

Mrs. E. L. Brainerd, mother of Architect Wm. L. Brainerd, will arrive today from Chicago to visit her son. Mr. L. P. Morehouse, an uncle of Mr. Brainerd will also come.

Mr. Wm. Eades, the coal man, went to Greenville this morning. Mr. Eades is putting in a water plant at Greenville but the cold weather has caused a suspension of work and he can not tell when his plant will be done.

Miss Bessie Powell, of Princeton, has returned home after visiting Mrs. Wm. Marble.

Mr. Miller Bradshaw, the shoe drummer, has returned from a trip to New Orleans.

Mr. Oce Alexander has returned from a drumming trip through Eastern Kentucky.

The many friends of Miss Ethel Brooks will hear with pleasure that she is recovering from her illness of the past few weeks, and is able to be up today. Miss Brooks is one of the most charming of the season's debutantes, and has been greatly missed from her place in the social world.

Mr. P. H. Goodhart, of the wholesale whiskey firm of Goodhart, Hartman & Co., has returned to Chicago, after a visit to Paducah.

Miss Ethel Polsgrove, of Jonesboro, Ark., is visiting Mrs. Ed. Hostetter on Tennessee street.

Mr. Will Clements, of Madison, Ind., formerly of Paducah, is in the city on a brief visit. It is his first in several years, and his many friends are glad to see him.

Mrs. W. E. Lindsay and children are visiting the family of Messenger H. C. Lindsay, of Louisville.

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Nice 4-room residence, good house and large lot, on South Eighth street, excellent home for colored man, at \$900 on easy payments.

Notice removal of my office to Room 5, Trueheart building and come there for bargains in real estate or farm mortgage loans on 10 years' time at 6 per cent interest.

Bargain to home builders in 25 lots near I. C. passenger depot at \$100 each, on small cash payment and balance \$5 per month. These are best lots to be gotten near depot and if want cheap homes there come and get first choice.

235 South Sixth St. very desirable 10 room house on corner lot fronting Yeiser park. Excellent residence, or well suited for first class boarding house. See me for price and terms as am anxious to sell.

1000 Jefferson St. number one 10 room house, on corner lot, in excellent condition, good stable. First class residence, or well located and roomy enough for boarding house. Price \$5,000 on reasonable payments.

Seven-room, two-story residence, with sewerage, bath, 52-foot corner lot at southeast corner Ninth and Adams streets, excellent location. Price \$2,400.

Just back of last named corner house fronting on Adams street, a 3-room house in good condition, and at price, \$600, a fine investment for the rent or a home.

The former Grace home place on North Fifth St., east side, between Madison and Harrison, lot 57 ft. 9 inches, with two nice cottages on it which rent for \$27.50 a month. Price \$3,000 on reasonable terms to suit buyer.

Don't forget that I have at all times plenty money to loan on farm mortgages at 6 per cent interest, ten years' time.

New plat of Madison St. lots just west of and adjoining Fountain park, all level and high, and street graded and graveled. Survey just made and plat turned over to me. Come while can get first choice. Prices \$250 of which \$25 cash and balance on \$5 monthly payments. Location, price and terms considered, these are most desirable lots in Paducah.

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No. 520 North Sixth street, rented by year to prompt paying tenant at \$35 per month. Price \$4,000.

1317 Jefferson street, good 4 room cottage, on lot worth \$1,000 at \$1,700.

No. 226 Kentucky avenue, good business property. Rents at \$35 per month, price on easy payments, \$3,100.

New house, 4 rooms, hall, bath. No. 1 residence; 50 ft. lot, on Monroe street, between 12th and 13th, at \$1,600.

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NEWS OF THE RIVERS.

Observations taken at 7 a. m. River falling, gauge frozen. Weather cold with stiff north wind. Temperature 12 degrees with .03 snow and rainfall.

SAUNDERS A. FOWLER,
Local Observer.

The Hook arrived Saturday from Tennessee river and is now laying up.

The Kentucky cleared Saturday for Tennessee river.

The Clyde is due tomorrow from Tennessee river.

The Charleston arrived this morning from Tennessee river and is at Joppa unloading.

The Cowling, running between Metropolis and Paducah, resumed her trips this morning, the ice having thinned out.

As a result of the towboat Defender disaster the license of H. W. Allis, engineer in charge, has been revoked by Inspectors Edwin F. Maddy and Edward Morgan, of Gallipolis. The Jack Frost backed into a rocky bank near Manchester and damaged her wheel and hog-chain posts.

Capt. T. B. Maltby, who for several years has been superintendent of dredges in the district of Mississippi river commission between Cairo and New Orleans has been appointed division engineer in charge of dredging operations in the Panama canal service, and leaves for Washington D. C., next week.

The name of the old towboat, Jacob Heatherington, has been changed to Eagan and she will be used by the Combine between Pittsburg and Louisville. The Heatherington towed tugs in barges for many years from Parkersburg to Wheeling, that was before the Ohio River railroad was built.

A Natchez, Miss., telegram says:

The steamer St. Joseph was sold this morning to Capt. John F. Klein, of Pittsburg, the consideration being \$700. Capt. Klein will spend \$1,500 making repairs on the boat, after which she will be taken to Pittsburg to be used as an excursion boat and to tow excursion barges. The St. Joseph was built at Madison, Ind., in 1893 for the Natchez-Vicksburg Packet Co. Natchez was her home port. She has a net tonnage of 277 tons, is 170 feet long; breadth, 32 feet, and draws 4.9 feet.

The remains of the late Eugene Weatherford, of Mayfield, are expected today from San Antonio, Tex., and the burial will be at Mayfield.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

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Corrected Dec. 9, 1904.

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Over the Border

By...
ROBERT
BARR.

Author of "Jennie Baxter,
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This time a clanking of chains announced the new arrival, who was preceded by Colonel Porlock and accompanied by two soldiers, one on either side of him. The young fellow, who shuffled up to the table dragging his irons, cast an anxious look at the forbidding face of the man who was to be his final judge, in whose word lay life or death for him, and he found there little to comfort him. Cromwell seated himself once more and said gruffly:

"Take off those fetters."

When the command was complied with the general dismissed the trio and sat for some moments in silence, reading the frank, open face of his opposite.

"You are to be shof'at daybreak tomorrow," he began in harsh tones that echoed dismal from the raftered ceiling. "I have examined the evidence, and I find your condemnation just."

"I have never questioned the verdict, general, nor did I make appeal."

The shaggy brows came down over Cromwell's eyes, but his face cleared perceptibly.

"You own the penalty right?"

"Sir, it is partly right and partly wrong, like most things in this world. It is right to punish me for deserting my post; it is wrong to brand me a traitor."

"Ah, you have found your voice at last, and there is some courage behind it. Deserter is an unpardonable crime. The point I press upon you is this: Your life is forfeit; yet, although your fault is unpardonable, I do not say it cannot be compensated for. Even my enemies admit I am an honest trader. I will bargain with you for your life. You shall buy it of me, and I shall pay the price, even though I do not forgive the crime. We will first, if you please, clear up the charge of treachery. You were visiting your own home that night, and as it is on the farther side of Rudy Hall your accusers naturally thought you had a rendezvous there?"

"No, general; it was my intention to have visited Rudy Hall."

"The residence of that foul, malignant Lord Rudy, so called?"

"Yes, but not to see his lordship, who is my enemy, personal as well as political."

"You are truthful, and it pleases me. Why did you make a foolish mystery of your excursions? I take the case to stand thus: Your grandfather and Rudy were neighbors and possibly friends. You were and are in love with my lord's daughter, but since you belong to the cause of the people this oppressor of the people will have naught of you. You have risked your life to see the girl, who is doubtless as silly as the rest of her class, as you will discover if I let you live. Stands the case not thus?"

"In a measure, sir, it does, saving any reflection on the lady, who—"

"Surely, surely, I know what you would say, for I was once your age and as soaked in folly. The question is, if you will risk your life for her, will you do what I ask of you to earn the girl and your life, or will you refuse and let her go to another?"

"Sir, I will do anything for her."

"Then harken well. There was here before me, where you now stand, some moments since, the most plausible liar in the kingdom. He told me truths which on the surface appeared to be treachery to his friend, but which he was well aware I already knew. This was to baffle me into believing him. He rides to Oxford to see the king, and in that I am willing to aid him. He may tell the king what pleases him and those who send him. Little good will it do any of them. In return the king is to give him a commission to be handed to certain lords in Scotland. If that commission crosses the border we are like to have a blaze to the north of us which I do not wish to see kindled until a year from now. Then, by God's will I shall be ready for them. We shall defeat the Scots in any case, but if this commission reaches these malcontents we cannot have the pleasure—humpf!—we shall be precluded from the duty of beheading the ring-leaders without bringing on ourselves the contumely of Europe. Without the king's commission they are but brawlers, marauders. With this commission they will set up the claim that they are belligerents."

"The commission must be intercepted at all costs. It will be your task to frustrate the intentions of the king and his Scottish nobles. But the task is more complicated than yet appears. It would be an easy matter to run this messenger through the body and there an end. I want what he carries, but I do not wish to harm the carrier. These Scots are a clannish, troublesome, determined race. If you prick one with a sword's point the whole nation howls. This, then, must be done quietly, so that we bring no swarm about our ears. William Armstrong is the messenger's name, and he has powerful supporters in his own country. He was stopped as soon as he crossed the border yesterday and brought here. He pretends to be an innocent tra'yer in cattle and will likely keep up that pretense. I have ap-

peared to believe all he says, and he leaves this house tomorrow morning with a pass from my hand, giving him permission to travel as far south as Manchester, which was all he asked. I would willingly have given him safe conduct to Oxford, but he was too crafty to accept such a thing. He thinks he can make his way south from Manchester. As a matter of fact, he cannot, but I wish to make the way easy for him.

"Of course I could give a general order that he was not to be molested, but there are reasons against this, as we have doubtful spies in our own ranks, and a general order would excite suspicion and would probably prove useless because this man, south of his permit's territory, will endeavor to go surreptitiously to Oxford and by unfigured routes. It will be your duty to become acquainted with Armstrong and win his confidence. You will accompany him to Oxford and return with him. You will be protected by a pass so broad that it will cover any disguise either of you may care to assume. It is such a pass as I have never issued before and am not like to issue again, so I need not warn you to guard it carefully and use it only when necessary. It reads thus:

"Here the speaker took up a sheet of paper on which he had been writing and, holding it so that the light from the candles fell upon it, read aloud:

"Pass the bearer and one other, without question or interference, from Carlisle to Oxford and return."

"The journey south will give you the opportunity to become acquainted with your man. On the northward march you must become possessed of what he carries, and when you bring it to me you receive in its stead pardon and promotion. If you do not succeed before you reach Carlisle, then I must crush him, possibly kill him as a spy. Will you undertake it?"

"Tis an ungracious office you would bestow upon me, sir. I had rather meet him in fair fight and slay him or have him slay me, as God willed."

"There speaks youth!" cried Cromwell impatiently. "This man is a treacherous, lying spy, whose life by all the rules of war is already forfeit. I propose to discomfit him with his own weapons. Nay, more, I willingly save him from the destruction he merits. You are set to do him the greatest service one man can offer another. If you fail, he dies; if you succeed, he has probably a long life before him."

"Sir, you are in the right, and your argument is incontestable. I accept your command willingly."

A gleam of pleasure lit the rugged face of the general, for he was flattered to believe his prowess in controversy was no less potent than his genius in war. His voice softened perceptibly as he continued:

"You save your country and at the same time save your country's enemy. What excuse will you give to Armstrong for your desire to visit Oxford?"

"My friend, the son of Lord Rudy, is there. Although we are on opposite sides, he has none of the bitterness against me shown by his father. I will say I wish to confer with him."

"That will serve. Now this pass is for two, and you can offer to Armstrong safe conduct under your guidance, giving what plea you choose for the absence of the man who was to accompany you and who, it may be, was supposed to have procured this pass from me."

Cromwell folded the pass and handed it to young Wentworth. "Go. This paper is your safeguard. I shall give the order that you are to be well mounted and provided with money. Send Captain Bent to me as you pass out."

Once more alone, Cromwell wrote the pass for Armstrong, giving him permission to travel between Carlisle and Manchester. When he had finished writing, Captain Bent was standing beside the table, and to him he delivered the paper.

"You will give that to your late prisoner," he said. "He is to depart tomorrow morning, not before 8 o'clock, and is to travel unmoleded. You have accomplished your duties well, captain, and your services shall not be forgotten."

The silent but gratified captain left the room with straighter shoulders than had marked his previous exit. His chief looked up at the dark gallery and called out, "Come down and report yourself to the officer of the night."

For nearly ten minutes Cromwell sat at the table in silence, save for the busy scratching of pen here. Then he rose wearily, with a deep sigh, his marked face seemingly years older than when he had entered the room. Once outside, he gave Colonel Porlock the papers he had written and said:

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The people of Paducah have long ago found out that The Sun is the newspaper that does things. Two years ago it gave away over \$200 in gold and two free trips to the men and women of Paducah, and last year gave free trips to the World's Fair to five men and women in the city and county. It has become a question each year, "What will The Sun give away next?" & The Sun will surpass itself in generosity this time. It has a list of over Five Hundred and Fifty Dollars in prizes it will give to nine people in Paducah and McCracken county.

To the Most Popular Ladies in Paducah

**A \$250 Valley Gem Piano,
A Handsome Gold Watch
A Handsome Umbrella**

The most popular lady in Paducah will be awarded the piano, the second most popular lady will receive the gold watch and the third the umbrella.

The piano is now on exhibition at W. T. Miller's music store. It is one of the best pianos he handles and is sold for \$250.

The watch can be seen on display in Nagel & Meyer's window.

Subscriptions in advance paid in March entitle you to just half the number of votes the same amount of money paid in before March entitles you to.

It will readily be seen that the greatest amount of voting will be done before March 1, as subscriptions paid before that date entitle the subscriber to twice the number of votes as the same subscription paid in March.

To the Most Popular Men in Paducah

**One Hundred Dollars in Gold,
A 14K Hand Engraved Case
15 Jewel Watch,
A Handsome Umbrella**

The most popular man in Paducah will receive the \$100, the next most popular the gold watch and the third the umbrella.

Payments on Subscriptions Will Entitle You to Coupons for Votes as Follows:

On back subscriptions, 3 votes for every 10c paid. Subscriptions in advance, if paid before March 1: 40c pays for one month and 80 votes in each contest. 80c pays for two months and 160 votes in each contest. \$1.20 pays for three months and 240 votes in each contest. \$2.25 pays for six months and 500 votes in each contest. \$4.50 pays for twelve months and 1,100 votes in each contest.

To the Most Popular Residents on the Rural Routes

A Ladies' Gold Watch

The most popular lady residing on the rural routes will be given a ladies gold watch. The watch can be seen at Warren & Warren's.

A Powell-Rogers Runabout, Value \$65.

To the most popular man residing on the rural routes a Powell-Rogers Runabout, value \$65. The runabout can be seen on exhibition at Powell-Rogers.

Coupons given for subscriptions must be voted within ten days after the date thereof.

The bill of lading found in each issue of The Sun must be voted within a week after the date thereof.

Votes will be counted and published each day.

The leaders in each contest each week will be given 100 extra votes.

The contests will start at once and end March 31, and the winners announced April 1.

KENTUCKY NEWS TOLD IN PARAGRAPHS

Wounded Another—Died of Grief.

Mayking, Ky., Feb. 6.—Deputy Sheriff Henry Day died suddenly at Whitesburg. A week ago he went to arrest Elijah Whitaker, a Kings Creek farmer, on a peace warrant.

Whitaker resisted and a fight ensued in which Whitaker was desperately wounded. He was taken to Whitesburg, where he could be given medical aid. Day visited him regularly. The sight of his wounded victim was more than he could bear and he dropped dead at the county jail.

Supposed to Be Dead.

Madisonville, Ky., Feb. 6.—After a ten-years' absence and his family not knowing of his whereabouts, William Peak has returned home to his friends in this city. He has been in the Philippines Islands for this length of time and had never written. The members of the family supposed he was dead as they could not hear from him.

Frozen Over at Smithland.

Smithland, Ky., Feb. 6.—The Cumberland river at this place is entirely frozen over, and it is the first time it has been in that state since 1887. The Tennessee river is partially frozen, which is something never before known.

Twenty Shots Fired.

Lawrenceburg, Ky., Feb. 6.—At a dance on Hammond's Creek a free fight arose and twenty shots were fired in the crowded dance room. A young man named Corn was shot through the hand, and Walker McFee's coat was perforated, but remarkable to relate, no one was killed.

Buy Interest in Grocery.

Fulton, Ky., Feb. 6.—Mr. Lewis Fields, the tobacconist and banker, has bought the interest of Morris & McCall in the Fields-Wearne grocery, of Cairo, some of the owners of which formerly resided in Paducah. The style of the firm will not be changed.

To Meet At Earlington.

Madisonville, Ky., Feb. 6.—The grand lodge of Kentucky, Golden Cross, will meet in Earlington, this month, in April. The invitation has been extended and accepted. It is

probable that there will be about 200 to attend the meeting, which will convene April 13. Earlington is one of the most beautiful places in Western Kentucky for holding such meetings and is noted for its hospitality.

Doctor Painfully Hurt.

Bowling Green, Ky., Feb. 6.—Dr. Jerry Thomas met with a painful and peculiar accident at his home in Smith's Grove. He got up about 3 o'clock in the morning to run a lot of cats out of the yard. He walked out on the front porch and in passing a wire, with a large fishing hook attached to the end used for hanging up flower baskets during the summer, the hook impaled the doctor. It struck in the flesh of his cheek and fastened its point in the bone. The doctor was in his night clothes and was unable to release himself, so remained in this attitude for some time, until he nearly froze to death. Finally a physician was called and the doctor released from his position, and his wounds were dressed. The hook passed near the eye and it is feared the doctor's sight may be impaired.

Has Electric Lights.

Wickliffe, Ky., Feb. 6.—Wickliffe now has electric lights. 17 arc lights illuminating the streets in the business part of town. The plant will be enlarged as rapidly as possible.

Third Victim.

Madisonville, Ky., Feb. 6.—Richard Bates, who was injured in the Victoria coal mine explosion in this city last week, is dead, making the third one to die from the explosion of a keg of powder in the mine. Ike Gibson was instantly killed and Alex Nisbet only lived a day or two.

Thinning Out Thieves.

Fulton, Ky., Feb. 6.—The thieves who have infested this locality for sometime are being thinned out. Walter Williams and Abner Duncan, negroes, were Saturday held and remanded to jail for robbing trunks and grips stolen from the depot, both pleading guilty.

Graves County Man Insane.

Mayfield, Ky., Feb. 6.—R. N. Walker, a well known citizen of Water Valley, has been adjudged insane

and taken to the Hopkinsville asylum. His mind seems to have collapsed about Christmas, and he had since then been very violent at times, his principal trouble being suicidal mania. He tried to hang himself a short time ago, and it was deemed best to place him in the asylum for safety. He has had two brothers to go crazy.

Dr. Matthew's Will.

Mayfield, Ky., Feb. 6.—The will of the late Dr. S. J. Matthews has been filed for probate. The estate is valued at about \$30,000, and the only provision of the will is that his son, Jack Matthews, be paid \$15 a week until \$1500 is paid him.

The widow and children have filed suit in circuit court to have the property sold and divided among the heirs, and the Graves county bank and trust company has been appointed administrator.

COUNCIL MEETS.

Improvement Ordinance to Come Up Tonight.

The regular meeting of the council will be held tonight, and among the matters to come up for discussion are the payment to Contractor George Katterjohn of the balance of \$3,624 on the new market house, and a \$120 bonus for completing the work before the specified time.

The ordinance for paving the streets agreed on by the street committee and board of works several nights ago is also expected to come up for first passage, and a lively time is anticipated, as it is understood some of the members who own property or whose friends or relatives own property, on some of the streets selected, will fight it in order to escape paying part of the costs.

It is probable that amendments to the license ordinance will be presented for action.

Bartenders Met.

The Bartenders' Union held a meeting yesterday afternoon at Central Labor Union hall and it was a most enjoyable affair. Refreshments were served, and quite a crowd was present.

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HIGH HONOR

DR. BARNEY DRYFUSS APPOINTED TO CHAIR IN CORNELL.

Had Gone to New York to Practice Medicine and Honor Was On Merit Alone.

Another Paducah boy has won signal honors in New York City. Dr. Barney Dryfuss, son of Mr. Henry Dryfuss, of 625 Kentucky avenue, has just been appointed instructor in chemistry and anatomy for Cornell University, and has entered into his duties.

This is an honor that is all the more significant because it was made solely on merit, and came entirely unsolicited. Dr. Dryfuss was approached by one no less eminent than Dr. Whitehouse, the celebrated analysis expert, who asked him to take the chair.

Dr. Dryfuss is a young physician who received most of his education in the public schools of Paducah. He studied medicine in Louisville after leaving Paducah two or three years ago, and made such progress there that he was appointed an interne at the city hospital.

He made great progress there, and last October went to New York to practice. He was preparing to take the required examination before he could secure a license to practice in New York, and in the meantime was recommended to Cornell University as a bright young man who could well be permitted to spend his leisure time working in the big laboratory, and was permitted to do so, spending two hours or more studying and practicing.

His work soon attracted the attention of the instructors, and they quietly watched him for some little time, and then went to him and offered him the chair of anatomy and chemistry of the university, and insisted that he accept it, which he finally did.

He assumed his duties February 1 and will also proceed to secure his license should he desire to practice medicine. Dr. Dryfuss is a popular young man of unusual education and intellect, and his many friends in Paducah will be glad to learn of his

success in the greatest city in the United States. He is only about 25 years old, and has a bright future before him.

DR. NITROGLYCERIN AND EXPLODED.

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 6.—Peter Eberhart is supposed to be the name of a farm hand who yesterday drank a small bottle of nitroglycerin on a wager, froze to death while walking and exploded when efforts were made to thaw him out. He worked for Claude Argonale, near Wheatley, Minn., and while in the village got drunk with the town marshal who showed him a bottle of nitroglycerin, saying it was taken from a bank robber. Pete bet he could drink it and never feel injurious effects. He drank it and started for home. This morning he was found by the roadside, frozen to death and much distorted. While the body was left in an outbuilding near a stove in which was a roaring fire, the nitroglycerin exploded. The building was almost as completely destroyed as were the remains of Pete. One button, a boot heel and a piece of watch chain were found. Nobody else being in the immediate neighborhood when it happened, there were no other casualties.

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HOSPITAL BOARD.

A Meeting Is to Be Held in the Near Future.

The I. C. hospital board will meet in about ten days but there is nothing of importance for the board to do.

All improvements made during the past year were accepted at the last meeting, with the exception of possibly one or two small matters.

There is a petition lodged with the higher officials relative to the management of the hospital, the shop men here wanting to have a majority in the board, but it has never been acted on further than the acknowledgement that it has been received. The shop men intend to take some action before the board meeting to have their petition brought up and settled immediately, before this meeting of the board, if possible.

HAVE ENOUGH.

Applicants for Panama Jobs Are Very Numerous.

Civil Service Clerk Fred B. Ashton has received notice from the civil service board that no more applications for civil service positions in the Panama canal will be received by the commission, as the number already examined exceed all expectations, reaching several thousand.

This means that the examinations already announced, including several this month, will take place if there are any applicants on hand, but they will need no more after that, unless the demand subsequently becomes great.

BLOCK SIGNALS

Now Completed Between Fulton and Memphis.

The block signals between Fulton and Memphis on the Illinois Central, have been completed, the last gap between Fulton and Paducah Junction, being finished Saturday.

Most of the material for the block signals between Paducah and Fulton is ready and work will now begin on that, and it will be rapidly pushed to completion. When it is completed the block system will extend from Central City to Memphis.

Mr. S. H. Slack, of New York, is at the Palmer.